



PRESS RELEASE

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San Diego Urban Corps offers Weatherization Energy-Efficient Rehabilitation (WEER) services

COUNCILMEMBER ANNOUNCES PROGRAM BENEFITTING LOW INCOME, SENIORS AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

San Ysidro, CA..... In an ongoing effort to revitalize neighborhoods in District 8 the Council office of Ben Hueso continues its mission to communicate outreach opportunities available to the residents of the City of San Diego. Councilmember Ben Hueso announces a new undertaking by the San Diego Urban Corps WEER program. This project will provide activities that will benefit low/moderate income residents within the City of San Diego. "I am delighted that this project will benefit the low income, seniors and persons with disabilities within our municipality. With the contribution of these improvements, recipients will better their quality of life through a safer and healthier environment."

Urban Corps of San Diego WEER program will provide the following services to those who qualify: weatherization to prevent moisture i.e. calking, weather stripping, installation of security screen replacement where needed, , installation of battery operated smoke alarms, water heater blankets, and installation of windows where needed; exterior rodent and vermin prevention i.e. screening-off house bibs and pipe areas: low-flow shower head installation; replacement of and/or installation of electrical outlets covers and gaskets; washing down of mold and mildew and repainting affected areas with the same color as well of site clean up of private property.

WHO: Councilmember Ben Hueso (City of San Diego, District 8), San Diego Urban Corps, community residents

WHAT: Councilmember Ben Hueso announces program benefiting low income, seniors and persons with disabilities

WHEN: Friday, March 2, 2007 @12 noon

WHERE: 2261 Smythe Avenue
The residence of Mr. Luis Sanchez, community program recipient